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Letter dated 29 May 1995 from the Permanent Representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit a letter dated 29 May 1995 from H.E. Mr. Alija Izetbegovic, President of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, addressed to Your Excellency (see annex).

May I ask for your kind assistance in distributing the present letter and its annex as a document of the General Assembly under agenda item 39, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Muhamed SACIRBEY
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ANNEX

Letter dated 29 May 1995 from the President of Bosnia and Herzegovina addressed to theSecretary-General

The international community, particularly the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and the United Nations, as well as the Bosnian Government, are at a crossroads with immediate implications. The international community has peace-keepers who are hostages and at risk. We have already incurred a heavy toll in the lives of our civilians in Tuzla and other places, and many others continue to be exposed to similar terrorist actions.

In order for our Government to address the consequences, we must inquire as to whether the weapons exclusion zone and the recent NATO ultimatum around Sarajevo are still in force? Please forward your reply to us.

(Signed) Alija IZETBEGOVIC